

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE

MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 3.

DASHED TO DEATH.—A large bob sleigh, containing eleven gentlemen and nine ladies, who were en route to the Heine residence, three miles southeast of Fort Wayne, Ind., to attend a dance, was struck by the east-bound fast train on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway, while the sleigh was crossing the track Saturday evening, killing two and injuring seven ladies. The gentlemen all escaped, several jumping from the sleigh. The scene just after the accident beggars description. The groans and cries from the wounded were heart-rending. A relief train with several surgeons was sent to the scene of the accident, which was just outside of the city limits and conveyed the killed and wounded to the city, where they were properly taken care of. The driver was warned not to attempt to cross the track, a caution which he did not heed.

THIRTY THOUSAND PEOPLE SUFFERING. The Fort Worth, Texas, *Gazette* published yesterday the official report of the county judges from counties in the drought district of Texas, held at Albany, Texas. Twenty-one counties were represented in the convention. The total number of people in these counties now in need of food, clothing and fuel is placed at 30,000, while thousands more are without seed to plant during the coming year. An appeal is made to the State and national legislatures and to the country at large to furnish at once \$500,000 to relieve immediate wants.

Alexandria Gazette.

The GAZETTE is now the oldest paper in the State, and with few exceptions the oldest in the country, and its usefulness has been demonstrated and appreciated during the EIGHTY SEVEN YEARS of its existence. In its columns has always been found a mirror of passing events, and the careful chronicling of the history of what is going on in the world has ever been its aim. It is always welcomed in the household, while in the counting room and workshop it has become invaluable.

The GAZETTE has better facilities for obtaining news than any paper outside of the national capital. Situated as it is so close to the great centre of news, it enjoys daily the benefit of the Associated Press dispatches from every part of the world; hence its patrons can read from its columns in the evening what has transpired that day in every portion of our own domain as well as from every part of the habitable globe. Consequently it is an every day occurrence for the GAZETTE to publish telegrams from the various European capitals twelve and fifteen hours earlier than the morning papers.

Another feature that serves to make the GAZETTE a great desideratum with merchants is its afternoon market reports from New York, Baltimore, Chicago and other centres.

Correspondence from Washington, Richmond and every section of the State, is published regularly, and all events of interest occurring within the bounds of the Commonwealth are to be found in the columns of the GAZETTE.

The local department furnishes a full and complete history of everything that occurs in and near the city, and this feature will, as ever, receive careful attention.

The GAZETTE's circulation is steadily increasing, especially among people who consult its advertising columns before purchasing. That this is self-evident may be inferred from the fact that a large country edition—nearly as large as the daily—is sent all over this section of country three times a week, and is read by thousands, most of whom send here or to contiguous cities to make purchases. The advantages of advertising in the GAZETTE are, therefore, apparent.

RATES OF SUBSCRIPTION.

Daily Gazette, per annum, \$6.00
Tri-weekly Gazette, for country, 4.00

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Office Hours—Open at 8:30 a. m. Close at 5:30 p. m. Open at 6:30 p. m. Close at 7 p. m.
Sunday Hours—Open at 9:00 a. m. Close at 9:30 a. m.

BUSINESS CARDS.

G. S. WALKER
—FOR—
Granite Monuments, Headstones, Tombs
AND ENCLOSURES.

Three new granite polishing machines. Best facilities for monumental work. He guarantees the best of work, good stock and low figures.
Works—702, 704 and 706, North Capitol street, in rear of Government printing office, Washington, D.C.
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LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE
INSURANCE COMPANY.
Statement U. S. Branch, June 30, 1885.
Assets.....\$5,918,563 13
Liabilities.....3,303,592 17
Surplus.....2,614,970 96
Total losses paid in the U. S.....36,676,759 55
For policies in this excellent company apply to
PHILIP B. HOPE, Agent,
No. 2 Prince street.
dec15

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

EXCHANGE AND BALLARD,
STERNAGEL & ZEISSE, Proprs.
OYSTERS OF THE LARGEST SIZE AND
FINEST FLAVOR
Received daily from Norfolk and served in every style.
Every variety of GAME in season.
The choicest brands of LIQUORS at the Bar.
nov27

BAKING POWDERS.



ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A supply of purity, strength and whole wholeness. Same composition as the ordinary kind, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, cheap weight and phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 105 Wall street, New York.

JOB PRINTING.

THE GAZETTE

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JOB PRINTING OFFICE
(UNDER THE ENTIRE CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT OF THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE)

IS PREPARED TO DO AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE AND ON THE MOST REASONABLE TERMS

ALL KINDS OF BOOK AND JOB PRINTING

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

GROCEER, TEA DEALER, AND COMMISSION MERCHANT.
No. 17 North Royal street, near Market square, Alexandria, Va.
Orders and consignments solicited; they will receive careful and prompt attention.
ap19
CHARLES KING & SON,

Wholesale Grocers,
67 CAMERON STREET

ap1 ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
FRANK HUME,
WHOLESALE
GROCER AND LIQUEUR DEALER.

No. 454 Pennsylvania ave.,
Washington, D. C.

All goods packed and delivered free of charge.
PHILIP B. HOPE.

No. 2 Prince street,
GENERAL SHIPPING
AND COMMISSION MERCHANT.

Grain & specialty.
Agent for steamers to Norfolk, connecting with line to Boston, Providence and the East. dec15
No. 1 Exchange.
W. A. SMOOT & CO.,
COAL, SALT, PLASTER.

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Office—smo's Wharf.
Special attention paid to forwarding.
W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
And Dealers in
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.

Have on hand GIBSON'S XXX, XXXX, and PETER OLD SCOTCH WHISKY, and MONROE'S WHISKY; also BAKER'S and THOMPSON'S PURE EYE WHISKIES, to which they invite the attention of the trade.

Orders from the country for merchandise shall receive prompt attention.

Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country Produce solicited, for which they guarantee the highest market price and prompt return.

North-east corner of Cameron and Royal streets, Alexandria, Va.
THOMAS PERRY,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT
And Dealer in
FISH, FISH SALT, AND FERTILIZERS.

Also Agents for
WATTS' HORMONUM, CAST AND CHILLER FLOWS.
ap19-11 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

WINE AND LIQUORS,
FLOUR, GRAIN AND COUNTRY PRODUCE
SOLICITED.

PROMPT RETURNS AND LIBERAL ADVANCES ON GOODS IN STORE.
AGENCY OF LAFIN & RANDS SPORTING, BLASTING AND MINING POWDER AND COTTON AND WATER-PROOF FUSE.

N. W. cor. Cameron and Royal sts.
mb10

FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c.
Amos B. Slaymaker,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
Ladies' Gents' & Children's Fung Goods.

DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS.
Wholesale and Retail.
NO. 105 KING STREET.

ap25 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c.
HOSIERY, GLOVES, Handkerchiefs, Collars, and Cuffs, and all kinds of
LADIES' and CHILDREN'S MERINO VESTS and PANTS, all sizes and qualities.
ZEPHYR WORSTEDS, Germantown Wools and Knitting Yarns, in all shades and colors.
ap29 C. C. DEERY, 72 King st.

FOUNDERS AND MACHINISTS.
W. S. MOORE,
Machinist, Iron and Brass Founder.

SHIPSMITH AND BLACKSMITH
OLD DOMINION WORKS.

No. 50 and 55 Union street, Alexandria, Va. Will furnish and repair all kinds of Machinery, Iron and Brass. Also, Wrought and Cast Iron Pumps, Mill Work, Ship and Blacksmithing. Edge Tools, Mill Picks, Facing Hammers, and all kinds of Mill Work made and repaired at the shortest notice, and at reasonable prices.

The highest market price paid for Old Wrought and Cast Iron, Brass and Copper.
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Harlow & Caton,
Real Estate Agents and Brokers.

Room 2 MARKET BUILDING.
Real estate bought and sold, and loans made and negotiated on real estate.
We have on our list a large number of desirable properties for sale both in the city and country.
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VINEGAR
VINEGAR
F. A. REED & CO.,
Agents for the
Holly Vinegar and Preserving Company
OF HOLLY, MICHIGAN.

Offer a full line of pure goods, to the trade only, with special inducements.
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HAIRWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, PISTOLS,
&c., at 88 King street corner of Royal, Alexandria, Va.—The subscribers invite the attention of wholesale and retail purchasers to their large and well selected stock of goods in their line, which were bought in quantity at bottom prices, and will be sold at a small advance. We invite a comparison of prices and quality of goods at 88 King, corner of Royal street.
ap14 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

FLOUR!
JONES' BEST MINNESOTA PATENT.
JONES' HUNGARIAN
BAKERS' CRUSTAL
TENNEY'S OUR NEW SOUTH
CHOICE FAMILY.

The above are the finest brands of Flour made.
ap20 GEO. MCBURNEY.

DR. HORTON'S MALARIA ANTIDOTE.
THE ONLY INFALLIBLE REMEDY FOR MALARIA AND FEVER AND AGUE.
It never fails to effect a speedy and permanent cure.
For sale by
WATFIELD & HALL.

THOMAS'S LIQUID BLUE.
IN PAPER BOTTLES.
entirely free from acids, and guaranteed pure. The greatest quantity for the least money of any pure goods on the market. Don't fail to try it.
mb5 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

TOMATO CATSUP, how Chow, Mixed Mustard and Mixed Pickles in bulk, for sale in quantities to suit by
nov19 J. C. MILBURN.

CHOICE FLOUR.
BAKER'S CRYSTAL.
TENNEY'S NEW SOUTH.
FAMILY AND ROLLER EXTRA.
For sale by
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NOTICE—OPEN UNTIL 9 P. M.
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sep23 E. J. MILLER, SON & CO.

RAILROADS.

POTOMAC AIR LINE ROUTE.

RICHMOND AND DANVILLE R.R. CO.
CONDENSED SCHEDULE, IN EFFECT DECEMBER 19th, 1886.
Trains run by 7th Meridian Time.

SOUTH BOUND.
No. 31. Daily. No. 32. Daily. No. 34. Daily.

LEAVE:
Washington..... 9:00 a.m. 11:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m.
Alexandria..... 9:25 " 11:25 " 5:55 "
Manassas..... 10:25 " 12:25 " 6:07 "
War'n. June..... 10:55 " 12:55 " 6:37 "
Orange..... 11:25 " 1:00 " 6:41 "
Charlottesville..... 1:45 " 3:00 " 10:05 "
Lynchburg..... 4:05 " 5:00 " 10:41 "
Franklin Junction..... 5:30 " 6:41 "

ARRIVE:
Washington..... 6:45 " 7:45 " 9:40 "
Alexandria..... 7:15 " 8:15 " 10:10 "
Hot Springs..... 8:30 " 9:30 " 11:00 "
Atlanta..... 11:40 a.m. 10:40 p.m.
New Orleans..... 7:20 " 7:00 " 7:10 p.m.
Cincinnati..... 7:10 p.m. 6:00 "

NORTH BOUND.
No. 31. Daily. No. 32. Daily. No. 34. Daily.

LEAVE:
Danville..... 10:30 a.m. 11:45 p.m.
Franklin Junction..... 11:30 " 12:45 "
Lynchburg..... 1:10 p.m. 2:25 "
Charlottesville..... 3:50 " 4:15 " 5:30 p.m.
Orange..... 4:10 " 4:35 " 5:45 "
War'n. June..... 4:35 " 5:00 " 6:10 "
Manassas..... 7:05 " 7:10 " 8:25 "
Alexandria..... 8:05 " 8:05 " 9:20 "

Washington..... 8:35 " 8:30 " 9:40 "
Baltimore..... 11:25 " 10:15 " 11:25 "
Philadelphia..... 3:50 p.m. 12:35 p.m. 3:00 a.m.
New York..... 5:20 " 8:20 " 6:50 a.m.

MANASSAS BRANCH.
EASTWARD, Daily, except Sunday. WESTWARD, Daily, except Sunday.

WARRENTON—Trains Nos. 50, 51, 54 and 55
connect daily to and from Warrenton.
FRANKLIN DIVISION—Daily, except Sunday.
Leave Rocky Mt. 7:40 a. m., arrive Franklin Junction 11:10 a. m.; leave Franklin Junction 6:30 p. m., arrive Rocky Mt. 9:30 p. m.

GORDONVILLE—Trains leave Orange
for Gordonville 9:20 p. m. daily, and 6:30 a. m. and 12:35 p. m. daily except Sunday. Returning, leave Gordonville for Orange 4:35 a. m. daily, and 11:30 a. m. and 3:50 p. m. daily except Sunday.

PULLMAN CAR SERVICE.
On trains Nos. 50 and 51 Pullman Buffet Sleepers connect between New York and Alexandria, Va. On trains Nos. 52 and 53 Pullman Buffet Sleepers connect between Washington and Montgomery, and Washington and Aiken, via Danville.

On trains Nos. 54 and 55 Pullman Sleepers between Washington and Louisville, and Charlottesville and Cincinnati.

WASHINGTON AND OHIO DIVISION.
ALL TRAINS DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.
Leave Alexandria 6:00 a. m., 9:30 a. m., and 4:50 p. m.; arrive at Round Hill 11:20 a. m., 11:45 a. m. and 7:10 p. m.

Returning, trains leave Round Hill 6:08 a. m., 11:44 a. m. and 1:20 p. m., arriving at Alexandria at 8:32 a. m., 3:40 p. m. and 3:50 p. m. The 9:20 a. m. train from Alexandria connects at Round Hill with stage for Blue Ridge, Berryville and Winchester, and at Leesburg with stages for Aldie and Middleburg.

The 9:20 a. m. train and 4:50 p. m. train from Alexandria connects at Vienna with stages for Fairfax Court House.

Through tickets on sale at the principal stations to all points. For rates or information apply to any agent of the Company, or to
J. S. B. THOMPSON, A. G. P. A.
Alexandria, Va.
JAS. L. TAYLOR, D. C.
SOL. HAAS, T. M., Richmond, Va.

1886 PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE 1886
TO THE NORTH WEST AND SOUTHWEST,
DOUBLE TRACK. STEEL GAIR.

SPLendid SCENERY.
MAGNIFICENT EQUIPMENT.
In effect November 14, 1886.

Trains leave Washington, from station, corner of Sixth and B streets, as follows:
For Pittsburgh and the West, Chicago Limited Express of Palace Sleeping Cars at 12:15 p. m. daily; Fast Line, 9:40 a. m. daily, to Cincinnati and St. Louis, with Sleeping Cars from Harrisburg to Cincinnati, and Buffet Car to St. Louis; daily, except Saturday, to Chicago, with Sleeping Car to Chicago, Chicago and Cincinnati Express, at 7:10 p. m. daily, with Sleeping Cars Washington to Chicago and St. Louis, and Harrisburg to Cleveland, connecting at Harrisburg with Western Express with through Sleepers for Louisville and Memphis.

Pacific Express, 10:00 p. m. daily, for Pittsburgh and the West, with through Sleepers Harrisburg to Chicago.

BALTIMORE AND POTOMAC RAILROAD.
For Erie, Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara 10:00 p. m. daily, except Saturday, with Palace Cars Washington to Rochester.
For Williamsport, Lock Haven and Elmira, at 9:40 a. m., daily, except Sunday.

For New York and the East, 7:25, 9:00 and 11:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 4:15, 10:00 and 11:20 p. m. On Sunday 9:00 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 4:15, 10:00 and 11:20 p. m. Limited Express, 9:40 a. m. week days, and 4:50 p. m. daily.

For Baltimore 6:25, 7:25, 9:00, 11:00, 11:00 a. m., 12:15, 12:30, 2:00, 4:00, 4:15, 4:23, 4:40, 6:00, 7:10, 10:00 and 11:30 p. m. On Sunday, 9:00, 9:40, 11:15 a. m., 12:15, 12:30, 2:00, 4:00, 4:15, 6:00, 7:10, 10:00 and 11:20 p. m.

For Pope's Creek Line, 7:25 a. m., and 4:40 p. m., daily, except Sunday.

For Annapolis 7:25 a. m., and 12:35, and 4:23 p. m., daily, except Sundays. On Sundays at 9:00 a. m. and 4:15 p. m.

ALEXANDRIA AND FREDERICKSBURG RAILROAD AND ALEXANDRIA AND WASHINGTON RAILROAD.
For Alexandria, 6:00, 7:05, 9:25, and 11:00 a. m., 12:01 noon, 2:05, 4:25, 4:35, 6:01, 8:05, 10:05 and 11:37 p. m. On Sunday at 6:00, 9:25 and 11:00 a. m., and 6:01 and 10:05 p. m.

For Richmond and the South, 6:00 and 11:00 a. m., daily, and 4:35 p. m., daily, except Sunday. Trains leave Alexandria for Washington, 6:05, 8:00, 10:05, and 11:43 a. m., 1:20, 3:00, 3:25, 5:10, 7:05, 9:32, 10:45 p. m., and 12:10 night, except Monday, 9:30 a. m., at 8:00 and 10:43 a. m., 5:10, 9:32 and 10:42 p. m. and 12:10 night.

Tickets and information at the office, Northeast corner of 13th street and Pennsylvania Avenue, and at the station, where orders can be left for the checking of baggage to destination from hotels and residences.
J. R. WOOD, G. P. A.

CEAS. E. PUGH, G. M.
OUTDOOR PLASTER—New and original, and vastly superior to any other plaster for decorating plain surfaces. Made from white-cement produced, together with all the other Outdoor Preparations, Ointments, Resolvents, Soaps, &c. just received at
WARFIELD & HALLS,
Corner Prince and Fairfax sts.

GREEN AND FIGURED SCREEN WIRE 24 30 and 36 inches, wholesale and retail, at 88 King, corner of Royal street. You can buy wire, have Window and Door Frames made of better quality, to cost no more than the common Frames offered for sale in the city. Call and see.
J. T. CREIGHTON & SON,
88 King, cor. Royal st.

CHOICE FLOUR.
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WE OFFER special inducements in GUNS PISTOLS, SHELLS, &c., and other goods in that line. Call and see at 88 King, corner of Royal street.
ap27 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

REASONABLE—Now is the time to purchase THERMOMETERS. We have a large stock at very low prices.
dec2 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

CARLS QUADRIPOLE, a superior article, at less than wholesale price, at
dec22 ANOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

FOR NEW YORK.
STEAMERS E. C. KNIGHT AND JOHN GIBSON
leave WEDNESDAY MORNING, and returning every WEDNESDAY, from pier 41, East river, every SATURDAY.

The steamers of this company make connections at Norfolk for Boston and all points East; at New York for all points West and Northwest, and at Atlantic City for Virginia Midland Railway and Washington and Ohio Railroad. Through rates given and freight handled carefully and promptly. For further information apply to
F. A. REED & CO., Agent,
Janney's wharf,
1410 F street,
Washington, D. C.

PHILADELPHIA.
Appointed sailing days from Alexandria, EVERY TUESDAY and from Philadelphia, EVERY SATURDAY.

This line connects at Alexandria with the Virginia Midland and Washington and Ohio railroads, and at Philadelphia with Clyde's regular Steamships.

Freight forwarded with promptness and care, free of commission.

No charge for transfer in Philadelphia. Quick time. Frequent departures. Through rates and through bills of lading given. Insurance at the lowest rates.

Agents
F. A. REED & CO., Alexandria
WM. F. CLYDE & CO., Philadelphia
JOHNSON & CO., Wash. & Georgia

FINANCIAL.
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
CORNER LEE AND PRINCE STREETS.
S. FERGUSON BEACH, President.
CHAS. R. HOFF, Cashier.

Prompt attention given to all business, including collections throughout the United States and Europe.
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JOHN R. SMOOT, President.
WM. H. LAMBERT, Cashier.

Citizens' National Bank.
Capital \$100,000. Surplus \$20,000.
COLLECTIONS MADE AND PROMPTLY REMITTED.
ALL KINDS OF INVESTMENT SECURITIES A SPECIALTY.
DIRECTORS—J. R. Smoot, E. L. Daingerfield, P. Wheat